

In re Application of :

Masanori AKITA et al.

Serial No. 10/582,897

Filed: June 13, 2006

For: ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT BOARD INTERMEDIATE MEMBER,

MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREFOR, MANUFACTURING EQUIPMENT THEREFOR, METHOD

FOR MANUFACTURING

NONCONTACT ID CARD AND THE LIKE, AND EQUIPMENT THEREFOR

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

[X] No additional fee is required.

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- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1836. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.
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 - [X] Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the subject application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page two (2) of this paper.

The Listing of Claims begins on page two (2) of this paper. Claims 1-5 are pending, with claim 1-5 being the only independent claims.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page five (5) of this paper and include one (1) attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page six (6) of this paper.